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Ongoing Assassination Threat to President Reagan

On January 20, 1981, the day that Ronald Reagan was inaugurated as President of the United States, *Investigative Leads* published the first of three warnings that the President was the likely target of an assassination plot. We reemphasize, nearly a year later, the ongoing security alert around the President, members of his family, and his closest White House and cabinet associates, as well as around Pope John Paul II and Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr. The President, the Pope, and LaRouche share a common opposition to the zero-growth, one-worldist oligarchists' conspiracy that is the motive force behind the assassination danger.

Ronald Reagan's election as President represented a resounding repudiation by the American electorate of the policies of the Trilateral Commission-dominated Carter administration. Those policies revolved around the rejection of scientific and technological progress, and were capped by the Carter administration's January 1981 release of a report titled "Global 2000," calling for a genocidal slash in world population by the year 2000, and a shift back to 19th century forms

of energy production, industrial and agricultural technology.

The Global 2000 report had the full backing of leading international financial circles—centered in London, Venice, Geneva, and lower Manhattan—as well as a worldwide network of "new Malthusians" in such organizations as the **Club of Rome**, the **Aspen Institute**, and the environmentalist movement worldwide. This financial oligarchy runs both the international drug trade and the tightly organized worldwide organized crime apparatus. Its operational control stretches into the Soviet bloc through such institutions as the **International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA)**, headquartered in Vienna, Austria, and jointly run by the Soviet KGB and the U.S. Ford Foundation.

Most recently, President Reagan's independent policy in the Middle East, based on sound U.S. national security concerns and a genuine commitment to stabilizing that region, has thrown his enemies into fits of rage, as has his disarmament overture to Soviet President Brezhnev. It was the President himself who noted that the last President to attempt a serious approach to disarma-

ment from a position of strength—John Kennedy—never lived to see his goal realized.

The parallel is very much to the point. John Kennedy was assassinated by the drug lobby's international assassination bureau, known at the time as **Perminindex**. Before the **Warren Commission**, dominated by United Fruit Company top executives, buried the evidence, Perminindex was the subject of intensive investigation by both New Orleans Parish District Attorney Jim Garrison and by then-French President Charles de Gaulle's elite security services.

Since last year, *Investigative Leads* has been highlighting the reemergence of the old Perminindex apparatus under some of the very same corporate covers that concealed the hit teams deployed against Presidents Kennedy and de Gaulle. It is this apparatus as a whole that deserves the concentrated attention of those security services charged with responsibility for the President's security. By reopening the Warren Commission files, including the sealed documents, and comparing the actual book of evidence with the coverup "findings" of the final Commission report, all

ton—the man who according to some sources is behind the leaks to the news media of the highly-publicized Wilson/Terpil affair.

Why Was It Necessary?

From the standpoint of the neo-Malthusian Anglo-Venetian hierarchy and the oligarchical families of Europe who want a "world federalist system" to supplant the nation state, any institution of a republic such as the United States represents a strategic encumbrance to implementing this one-world scheme.

Because of the very nature of the CIA—that is, defending the nation-state and promoting its welfare—there is an institutional resistance to these neo-Malthusian schemes. Certainly the Vietnam War and the ensuing developments around Watergate demoralized the CIA and its military counterparts, and rendered it unable to act on a positive policy orientation—especially under the policy misdirection of Henry Kissinger and Zbigniew Brzezinski.

But even before the Kissinger reign, the CIA during the Cold War was led by Allen Dulles—himself a key asset of the Anglo-Venetian net works who deployed the CIA fundamentally on the basis of the interests of the United Fruit Company, of which Dulles and his brother, John Foster Dulles (Eisenhower's Secretary of State), sat on the board of directors. It is important to note that Eisenhower's attempts to move the U.S. out from under the hideous affects of the Cold War were met by sabotage within the CIA—e.g., the Francis Gary Powers U-2 incident orchestrated by Allen Dulles.

Former Deputy Director of Intelligence Robert Amory, and his aide William Bundy, were two key

individuals responsible for shaping CIA policy during the 1950s and 1960s. Under President Kennedy, McGeorge Bundy ran the National Security Council and began the qualitative transformation of the CIA into an international counterinsurgency force, bringing those methods into the U.S. during the Vietnam War.

The Dulles-Robert Amory-Bundy methods were not American in the strict sense, but rather reflective of the London-Venetian oligarchic outlook. Amory, now assistant director of the National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C., describes the Anglo-American relationship as follows: "With British brains and U.S. muscle, we could rule the world." It is precisely this kind of strategic outlook that led to various intelligence failures attributed to the CIA. It should be recalled that the CIA's predecessor, the Office of Strategic Services (OSS), was in fact built largely by British intelligence.

In the case of James Jesus Angleton, the Anglo-Venetian crowd has used this well-known spook to undermine the effectiveness of the CIA, working very closely with British and Israeli intelligence on numerous projects. Angleton was central to the cover-up of the John F. Kennedy assassination, and wreaked havoc within the CIA over the question of KGB defector Nosenko. Angleton has even gone so far as to accuse former CIA Director William Colby of being "possibly KGB."

Angleton also ran the "Operation Chaos" program which received much publicity from the news media which accused the CIA of carrying out illegal domestic spying operations. Although some senior agency personnel would simply dismiss Angleton's role in this affair as a question of

incompetence, the effect of the publicity of Angleton's Operation Chaos permitted Eastern Establishment forces operating through the Senate Church Committee on Intelligence to severely cripple Agency counterintelligence capabilities.

Whither the CIA?

Historically, intelligence operations have been determined by the British doctrine of "geopolitics." The CIA has been conditioned to believe that all enemy operations are derived from the Soviet Union's security apparatus, the KGB. Years of covert warfare between the KGB and CIA reinforced the belief that the war between the superpowers determines everything.

From the policy standpoint of intelligence operations, the CIA has begun to realize that the KGB is not the *only* intelligence agency involved in terrorism; that the Socialist International, the Society of Jesus (Jesuits), the Muslim Brotherhood, the Gnostic Church of Byzantium, and others, are actually assets of an Anglo-Venetian apparatus.

What now becomes strategically necessary is for the CIA to run **stabilization** operations of sundry forms internationally **against** Anglo-Venetian **destabilization** efforts.

Under President Ronald Reagan the CIA can provide this nation with sorely needed effective political and strategic intelligence capabilities toward world peace and stability. To the degree the CIA is permitted to serve in this capacity—including training and retraining of cadre for conducting stabilization programs—we will gain an effective policy instrument which may prove indispensable to our nation's survival.

field represented the consolidation of all of Bloomfield's work, with that of other top SOE assets, into the most powerful international assassination capability in the World.

According to corporate records on file in Berne, Switzerland, the following individuals were officially listed as officers and board members of Permindex at the time of its incorporation by Major Bloomfield:

- **Louis Mortimer Bloomfield**, President and Chairman of the Board.

- **Ferenc Nagy**

- **Giorgio Mantello**

- **Roy Marcus Cohn**, attorney, New York City; former general counsel to Sen. Joseph McCarthy; Chairman of the American Jewish League Against Communism; President Lionel Corporation.

- **Joseph Bonanno**, syndicate boss of Montreal, and Phoenix; Chairman of the Board of Lionel Corporation.

- **Major General John Bruce Medaris**, former director of Defense Industrial Security Command; Board of Directors of Lionel Corporation.

- **John (aka Jean) DeMenil**

- **Paul Raigorodsky**

- **Prince Gutierrez di Spadafora**, former Undersecretary of Agriculture to Benito Mussolini; sponsor of the Sicilian Separatist Movement.

- **Hans Seligman**, banker, Basel Switzerland.

- **Carlo D'Amelio**, attorney, Rome, representing the financial holdings of the Royal House of Savoy, and the House of Pallavicini; attorney for "Circolo Rex"; general counsel for Centro Mondiale Commerciale.

- **Max Hageman**, editor, Munich, Nationalzeitung (a neo-Nazi publication).

- **Munir Chourbagi**, uncle of King Farouk of Egypt.

- **Giuseppe Zigioti**, head of the Italian political party "Fascist National Association for Militia Arms."

- **Ferenc H. Simonfay**, former collaborator with Nazis in Hungary, leader of Solidarist movement.

- **Colonel Clay Shaw**

Although the Permindex Corporation is now "officially" dissolved, its capabilities are still in place.

Directions for Investigation

Lyndon LaRouche, a noted authority on international terrorism and counterintelligence, has recently emphasized that a reevaluation of the Warren Commission files on the investigation into the assassination of President John Kennedy, would be extremely useful for President Ronald Reagan's security. This information, cross-gridded with information developed by former New Orleans District Attorney James Garrison, would result in cross-checking abundant evidence of the conspiracy unearthed by the Warren Commission.

Since the Warren Commission was dominated by executives from the United Fruit Company, an institution closely linked to the Permindex network (See IL vol. 2, No. 20), and the Commission willfully suppressed evidence, zeroing in on the Commission's misdirection and lies would be the most fruitful line of investigation.

Among circles uncovered by such a cross-gridding will be a group known to have major capabilities inside Libya. This circle includes: Madame Dominique DeMenil, controller of Schlumberger Ltd; Armand Hammer, director of Occidental Petroleum; and Max M. Fisher of United Brands and the Marathon Oil Company. All are linked to the Permindex network and are the most significant American friends of Libya.

- **Madame Dominique**

Schlumberger DeMenil: the heir of her late husband Jean DeMenil, an officer of Permindex, and descendant of Russian aristocrats. Madame DeMenil is also heir to the powerful Schlumberger banking family now based in Geneva, Switzerland.

Through the widely dispersed family networks of the Schlumbergers and their bank, De Neuflize, Schlumberger et Mallet, Madame DeMenil is directly in contact with the most important "black" oligarchy circles in Europe. These circles were exposed by the Vatican to have been involved in the attempted assassination of Pope John Paul II, through the Propaganda Two (P-2) Freemasonic Lodge, and were the circles which formed the Permindex network originally.

The apparatus which Madame DeMenil inherited from her husband, Jean, includes Schlumberger Ltd, and its U.S. subsidiary, Schlumberger Wells Service Company. Sworn testimony before both the Warren Commission and James Garrison's investigators, identifies these firms as having expertise in terrorist and weapons-running activities in Castro's Cuba, as well as to right-wing Cuban terrorist networks in Florida run by former Cuban Prime Minister Prio Soccoras. DeMenil's terrorist capability was merged with the FBI Division Five office in New Orleans, run by Colonel Clay Shaw, Permindex director.

Jean DeMenil's networks also interfaced with the **NTS Solidarist movement**, composed primarily of displaced Russian aristocrats whose stated goal is the restoration of Russia's Czarist nobility. To fulfill this goal, the NTS worked directly with the Nazi SS during World War II. The NTS and its front organization, the **Tolstoy Foundation**, have served as a pool of agents and assassins-

for-hire ever since.

Warren Commission testimony also indicates initial planning for the Kennedy assassination took place at the Tryall Compound in Jamaica, set up by Sir William Stephenson, head of Western Hemisphere operations of the British SOE. At a Spring 1963 Tryall planning meeting were Louis Bloomfield, Jean DeMenil, and Paul Raigorodsky of the NTS. DeMenil was put in charge of on-the-scene deployment of the Perminindex apparatus and the use of patsy Lee Harvey Oswald as an included element for misdirection after the Kennedy assassination.

Libyan Connections

Beyond the Schlumberger Ltd. major holdings in Libya, Madame DeMenil has established a direct liaison with the Muslim Brotherhood through the **Rothko Chapel**, founded by Jean and Madame Dominique in 1971 in Houston, Texas.

The **Muslim Brotherhood**, founded in 1929 by the Arab Bureau of the British Secret Intelligence Service (See *IL* vol. 2, no. 16), has been responsible for the majority of terrorist destabilizations in the Mideast, most recently including the assassination of Egyptian President Anwar Sadat in October 1981, and the overthrow of the Shah of Iran and installation of Ayatollah Khomeini in 1979.

On October 21-25, 1981 the Rothko Chapel sponsored an international conference of the Muslim Brotherhood under the title "Islam: Spiritual Message and Quest for Justice." Behind this lofty title was a strategy session of the top 23 leaders of the Brotherhood, among them Hamid Algar, who openly praised the assassination of Anwar Sadat.

Such meetings are not unusual at the Rothko Chapel. Over the past decade the Chapel has sponsored such terrorists as Lib-

eration Theologist Archbishop Helder Camara of Brazil, who is identified with numerous insurrectionist operations in Central and South America; David Dubois, editor of the Black Panther News, who calls for revolution inside the U.S.; and others.

- **Armand Hammer:** owner and head of the Occidental Petroleum Company, with major interests in Libya, and ties to the East Bloc, as well as to White Russian exile communities.

The son of Russian-born Rose Robinson and Julius Hammer, a member of the Socialist Labor Party, Armand Hammer first became involved in political intelligence operations in 1921, when he traveled to the Soviet Union. There, he toured the nation collecting artifacts from the Czarist families and aristocracy (which he later sold in the United States), and securing exclusive rights to represent American companies inside Russia, including Ford Motor Co., U.S. Rubber, Allis Chalmers, Ingersoll-Rand, and others.

Returning to the U.S., Hammer began to move into the whisky business, ordering a supply of wooden barrel staves from Russia to build beer and whisky casks, awaiting repeal of Prohibition. By the early 1940s, Hammer had become the second largest producer of bulk whisky in the U.S., surpassed only by Schenleys.

In 1956 Hammer bought the small Los Angeles-based Occidental Petroleum Company, building it into a major company through a series of successful oil finds.

In 1961 Hammer made his first visit to Libya, beginning a series of moves which secured Occidental major oil rights there, as well as securing the overthrow of Libya's King Idris and the installation of Col. Muammar Qaddafi.

Hammer did this working pri-

marily through King Farouk of Egypt, his friend since World War II. Farouk as early as 1939 had financed the Muslim Brotherhood with Egyptian State funds, and maintained a close link with the Italian royal House of Savoy (deposed in 1946). After his ouster from Egypt in 1952, Farouk moved to the Isle of Capri next door to U.S. mobster Lucky Luciano.

Farouk's uncle, Munir Chourbagi, was a founding board member of the Perminindex Corporation.

- **Max M. Fisher:** Honorary Chairman of United Brands Corporation, and a director of **Marathon Oil Company**.

Max Fisher rose through the ranks of the Prohibition era Purple Gang crime syndicate, a branch of Meyer Lansky's international smuggling and crime organization. Following Prohibition, Fisher went "legitimate," building up a tightly controlled group of corporations uniquely structured to carry out drug and money laundering operations of about \$90 billion a year.

Through his Marathon Oil Company, Fisher works closely with Armand Hammer inside Libya. It was also the United Fruit Company, now subsumed within Fisher's United Brands, which participated in the Warren Commission cover-up of the Perminindex assassination of President John Kennedy. (The full dossier on Max Fisher is available in *IL* Vol. 2, No. 20.)

Disinformation Campaign

An investigation of the threat against the life of President Reagan must examine the source of massive amounts of disinformation being fed into U.S. security and intelligence agencies. That investigation must also examine the role that leading U.S. media have played over the last weeks in conducting that misinformation, leak-

ing detailed security plans, and creating a dangerous climate of skepticism and disbelief that the threat even exists.

The leading perpetrators throughout the week of December 5-11 were the *New York Times* and the *Washington Post*. Both these newspapers are committed to the Global 2000 depopulation policy which President Reagan has rejected. In the case of the *Times*, **Cyrus Vance**, a board member of the *Times*, was director of the Global 2000 project when he was Secretary of State in the Carter administration.

Both Vance and the *Washington Post's* **Katharine Graham** are leading members of the New York-based **Council on Foreign Relations**. It was the CFR which first developed Global 2000 policies under the name of "controlled disintegration."

Moreover the *Times* and *Washington Post*, along with a slew of investigative reporters linked to the terrorist **Institute for Policy Studies** are leading attacks on the Reagan administration and its allies. New York *Times* "leaks" enabled **Thomas Puccio** of the Brooklyn Organized Crime Strike Force to carry out the Abscam entrapments against traditionalist political figures. The *Times* also sent three of its top investigative reporters to California to attempt to find links of President Reagan to organized crime.

Beginning Dec. 5, 1981, the U.S. media began covering the assassination threat to the President in such a way as to effectively sabotage security efforts, pinpointing especially Secret Service plans and measures against assassination attempts.

• Dec. 5: *New York Times* writer **Philip Taubman** reported detailed descriptions of how President Reagan's physical security was being reshaped, including secret countermeasures such as decoy

"presidential motorcades" designed to draw out any live assassination operation.

• *Washington Post* writer **Michael Guttler** comments that the information on the plot to kill President Reagan is confusing and questions its credibility. Dozens of articles subsequently appear questioning the credibility of the plot, implying the Reagan administration might be lying in order to "divert attention from the administration's economic woes."

• Dec. 9: Front page *Washington Post* story by Beirut correspondent **Loren Jenkins** reports that the Arab world sees the plot as "blown out of proportion." Jenkins writes that the confrontation with Qaddafi is inadvertently boosting Qaddafi's image and tarnishing the U.S.'s reputation.

• Dec. 10: Syndicated columnist **Jack Anderson** leaks the names of 14 Libyan hit men in the U.S. stalking President Reagan. Anderson narrows the investigation down to a group of Libyans.

• Dec. 11: Israeli intelligence stringer **Uri Dan** writes in the *New York Post* that former CIA agents **Wilson** and **Terpil** trained Libyan hit teams, intimating the CIA may have trained would-be assassins of the President of the U.S.

Who Benefits?

According to Los Angeles *Times* reporters **Robert C. Toth** and **Ronald J. Ostrow**, the focus on Libyan hit teams was disinformation peddled by elements of Israeli intelligence and aimed at pushing President Reagan into a confrontation with Qaddafi.

IL has learned that much of the flow of misinformation and national security leaks has been directed by a faction of Israeli intelligence which has attempted to insinuate itself into a trusted position among U.S. security and intelligence layers. This is particularly dangerous when the role of

the Israelis in the Sadat assassination is examined.

One month prior to that incident, the Israelis began providing Egyptian security with detailed reports of Libyan hit teams dispatched against Sadat. This enabled the Israelis to 1) gain the trust and confidence of Egyptian security, and 2) contribute to narrowing the focus of Egyptian security onto Libyan hit teams, with the result that President Sadat was hit from his "blind side," by the Muslim Brotherhood with Israeli and KGB complicity. (See *IL's* Vol. 2; No. 16, Special Report on the Muslim Brotherhood).

Ground Level Capability

It is important to keep in mind from the outset that the various domestic terrorist organizations are a deployable asset of the **Permindex** network. A review of the case of the Italian Propaganda Two (P-2) Freemasonic Lodge's control over both left and right wing terrorism throughout Europe demonstrates this fact. (See *IL* Vol. 2, No. 8). P-2 is directly interconnected with the **Permindex** network through individuals such as **Prince Alliata di Monreale**, who holds membership in both organizations.

AJEX

When the **Permindex** network is tracked, the first level of organizations found with an active assassination capability, or capability for harboring an assassination operation, is the **Association of Jewish Ex-Servicemen (AJEX)** based in London. AJEX, linked to Major **Louis Bloomfield**, is the international command for the **Jewish War Veterans Action Committee**, in the United States, which provides financing for the **Jewish Defense League's** paramilitary training camps.

AJEX, based at AJEX House,

5A East Bank, Stamford Hill, London, was established in 1929. It currently operates under the control of the **Committee of Jewish Defense and Group Relations** of the British board of Deputies. This unit is directly linked with the **London Institute of Jewish Affairs**, dominated by Major Bloomfield. AJEX, under the direction of **Henry Morris**, and vice president **Martin Savitt**, is responsible for the training of paramilitary-style Jewish "self-defense" units, by former military officer members of AJEX.

Similarly, in the U.S. the Action Committee of the Jewish War Veterans is involved in operating paramilitary training camps for JDL terrorists, and for direct training of young Jewish recruits by former military operatives.

Beneath this level is the Muslim Brotherhood organization, detailed in previous issues of *IL*. A newly discovered feature of this apparatus is the **Iranian-Libyan Underground Coalition**, many of whose members have been recruited from students who entered the country under the Carter/Benjamin Civiletti administration in 1978-79. (See *IL* Vol., 2 No. 18).

U.S. Terror Groups

At the lowest level of operations capable of being deployed for a presidential assassination are the domestic terrorist and terrorist-connected groups. The **Weather Underground** has during recent months become extremely active, and despite the arrest of several members charged with the unsuccessful Brink's robbery attempt in Rockland Co., NY, is actively operating in direct collaboration with the **Black Liberation Army (BLA)**. A joint deployment of these groups has been identified by law enforcement authorities as responsible for the theft of five police

vehicles and at least three FBI vehicles, as well as numerous police and fire department uniforms, from the New York City area. (See *IL* Vol. 2, No. 19).

An ongoing grand jury investigation of the Weather Underground-BLA networks, utilizing the RICO statutes, is examining the possibility of the merger of the two organizations for the purpose of criminal conspiracy. Four individuals linked to the two groups have already been convicted of contempt of the grand jury for refusing to answer questions. They have been identified as: **Cynthia Boston**, aka Fulani Sunni-Ali, a leader of the **Republic of New Africa**; **Rita Jensen**, a former roommate of Weather Underground member Kathy Boudin; **Eva Rosahn**, the individual who rented one of the cars used in the Oct. Brink's robbery attempt; and **Yasmin Fula**, employed as a paralegal aide at Bronx, N.Y., Legal Services, which has been used as a recruitment center for supporters of the BLA. These supporters have later been involved in prison breaks, including Joanne Chesimard's.

Closely linked to the Weather Underground is the **All People's Congress (APC)** founded at an October Conference on Detroit, Michigan. Featured at the APC conference were **Bernardine Dohrn** and **Bill Ayers**, unrepentant leaders of the Weather Underground who were pardoned by former Attorney General Benjamin Civiletti; **Rev. Herbert Daughtry**, leader of the **Black United Front**; and representatives of the FDR liberation movement of El Salvador, of the American Indian Movement, and the Black August Organizing Committee.

The APC has absorbed many of the activists from Rev. Daughtry's **Stop Apartheid Rugby Tour (SART)**, an ad hoc grouping formed last summer to protest

and take violent action against the Springboks South African rugby team during its U.S. tour. SART, which was co-founded by **Mike Young** of the **Communist Workers Party (CWP)**, was involved in numerous violent actions. Two CWP members in New York State face charges for illegal possession of weapons at a SART demonstration, in a trial beginning December 21. The lawyer for the CWP members is **Vernon Mason**, of the National Council of Black Lawyers, a legal advisor to Republic of New Africa leader Cynthia Boston. The APC has also taken over from SART direct liaison with the African terrorist "liberation" movements SWAPO, the Pan African Congress, and African Peoples Congress. APC is preparing for a weeklong series of actions, April 24-May 3, 1982, known as the "Days of Resistance Against Reagan," modeled on the Weatherman 1971 "Days of Rage."

Latin American Networks

A similar activation of Puerto Rican terrorist networks linked to the FALN has also occurred in past months. In November, the **Macheteros** terrorist group claimed credit for bombing two electrical substations, blacking out part of the island.

In the past the Macheteros, aka Popular Boricua Army, have vandalized U.S. Air National Guard aircraft, and claimed credit for the 1979 sniper attack on a U.S. Navy personnel bus in which two people were killed.

On December 17 the White House received a live letter bomb, postmarked San Juan, Puerto Rico.

In this context, the formulation recently used by Nicaraguan guerrillas and published in the Mexican daily *El Sol*, that President Reagan represents "a new Hitler" are key-and-code to identify an assassination target.

IL Policy Statement:

President Reagan's Executive Order to Rebuild the CIA

Reference Files:

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Rusty Williams/Church Committee on
Intelligence/Philip Agee/CounterSpy/
James Jesus Angleton/Allen Dulles/John
Foster Dulles/Robert Amory/William
Bundy/McGeorge Bundy/Operation
Chaos

On Dec. 4, President Ronald Reagan signed an Executive Order lifting the critical restrictions on intelligence-gathering and clandestine activities of the Central Intelligence Agency. The issuance of this presidential decree marks the beginning of a potentially new policy orientation concerning the nation's intelligence capabilities. The lease given the CIA by President Reagan's order could possibly redefine the policy-making process of the Reagan administration toward establishing a framework of peace and world stability.

The potentially far-reaching impact of Reagan's move affects a number of areas which the CIA and U.S. military intelligence had been excluded from during the Carter-Turner-Brzezinski-Vance years of running the entire national security and intelligence apparatus.

First, the CIA is again allowed to counter international terrorism at home and abroad, not just to collect information on terrorist groups after they have committed terrorist acts. This includes the combating of international drug-trafficking and the important

interface between the drug trade and terrorism. Second, the Executive Order enables the CIA to once again engage in counterintelligence activities inside the U.S.

Significantly, the Executive Order permits the CIA to bypass the Director of National Security Affairs on questions pertaining to intelligence operations, thereby downgrading this extra-Cabinet post. In the past, that post had enabled high-ranking U.S. officials like Henry Kissinger and Zbigniew Brzezinski to ruin intelligence operations and to misdirect the national intelligence mission of the CIA toward running "destabilization operations" on behalf of the NSC.

Destroying Intelligence Capability

To properly situate the impact of Reagan's decision to lift the restrictions on the CIA, it is necessary to identify the recent history of the problem of the restrictions imposed by former CIA Director Admiral Stansfield Turner and former NSC director Brzezinski.

During the height of the terrorist wave in Europe, the Red Brigades killed former Prime Minister of Italy Aldo Moro in 1978, and the Baader-Meinhof Red Army Fraktion went on a murderous rampage in 1977, killing West German banker Jürgen Ponto and industrialist Hans Martin Schleyer. Yet, then-CIA Director Stansfield Turner turned down an offi-

cial request from the Italian government's special anti-terrorist unit, under Gen. Della Chiesa, to aid Italy in cracking down on the Red Brigades. Turner stated at the time that he believed it was not in accordance with Carter administration post-Watergate guidelines to direct the CIA to engage in clandestine activity against the Red Brigades.

The consequence was a resurgence of terrorist activity in Italy. The U.S. denial of aid made it easier for would-be papal assassin Ali Agca to escape the grasp of Italian law enforcement prior to his attempt on the life of the Pope.

It was Turner, along with executive assistant to former Vice President Walter Mondale, Rusty Williams (who had also overseen the Church Committee on Intelligence), who jointly coordinated the firing of 800 senior CIA officers of the Clandestine Services section.

This wholesale removal of senior agents eliminated highly-skilled professionals from the Agency, and it aided in transforming the CIA into a strictly high-technology, intelligence-gathering agency—leaving the political intelligence and human intelligence fields to so-called allied foreign intelligence services, ranging from British intelligence to the Israeli Mossad.

In combination with "ex-CIA" operative Philip Agee and his British-Jesuit run intelligence network called *CounterSpy*, this Turner-Mondale sabotage placed the CIA in an untenable position. For example, the so-called KGB mole theory alleging that "moles" have destroyed the CIA, has been fed by the very same networks responsible for protecting Agee and his band of terrorists. The leading proponent of the "KGB mole" explanation for every CIA scandal was James Jesus Angle-

of the appropriate leads into the would-be assassins of President Reagan will be unearthed.

Until such time as that network is made the subject of systematic investigation, public expose and prosecution, the life of the President will remain in serious danger.

Who Is Targeting the President and Why?

The immediate questions facing U.S. security services dealing with the current deployment of Libyan assassination teams targeting President Reagan, is why they have been deployed at this time, and by whom.

As blunders by the security forces of the late President Anwar Sadat of Egypt demonstrate, an excessive orientation towards only one potential line of attack can be fatal. Although the Libyan hit teams targeting the President are real, the enemy force which has dispatched them is not based within Libya. Therefore, even a successful defusing of the Libyan threat will by no means diminish the threat to the President.

Contrary to the myths widely circulated by news media, a lone assassin, acting on his own, in the way Lee Harvey Oswald and John Hinkley are supposed to have acted, could never carry out a successful assassination of a figure as highly-protected as a

president or Pope. Neither could a small, well-trained team of assassins operating alone have much success.

Only a highly organized conspiracy, penetrating presidential security at several levels, and having significant control over law enforcement and judiciary agencies as well as the media, could conduct a successful assassination of a U.S. president, and also ensure an effective "cover-up" of its tracks.

As IL has identified repeatedly, the one assassination capability in the world with these qualifications is run through the same Permindex network which successfully carried out the assassination of President John F. Kennedy, and covered up both its motive and method of attack. The Permindex network also financed over 28 assassination attempts against French President Charles de Gaulle.

The Permindex Background

The Permindex organization, an acronym for Permanent Industrial Expositions, was established in 1958 as a commercial front for a special international assassination bureau linked to the British Special Operations Executive (SOE).

The founder of Permindex was Major Louis Mortimer Bloomfield, a Canadian citizen who joined SOE in 1938 and was deployed into the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation's counterespionage Division Five, as a liaison between SOE, the U.S. Office of Strategic Studies (OSS)—the wartime predecessor of the CIA—and the FBI.

At the close of World War II the SOE was officially disbanded. Bloomfield returned to Montreal, Canada, to his prominent law firm of Phillips, Vineberg, Bloomfield and Goodman, to build up his reputation as "above suspicion."

However, a closer look at his activities at this time finds Bloomfield in the middle of the dirtiest aspects of the international drug trade, preparing the groundwork for establishing Permindex.

During the period of the late 1940s and 1950s, Bloomfield continued to hold a high position within the FBI's Division Five. His law firm to this day represents the interests of the Bronfman family, notorious for their ties to international smuggling and narcotics traffic since Prohibition. He also joined the United Nations Organization as an expert in areas of international law dealing with international terrorism, piracy, and civil aviation, and began to establish an international network of clandestine shipping routes which are now utilized for narcotics traffic. This Bloomfield accomplished in part by becoming director of the Israeli-Canadian Maritime League, and simultaneously becoming the Consul-General of the Western Hemisphere of the African State of Liberia. Liberia is a well known tax haven and smuggler's port, since it has no shipping regulations. Under Bloomfield's consulship, Liberia became the flag of convenience under which a sizeable portion of the ships carrying bulk cargoes of Far East narcotics are registered.

Bloomfield also conducted a thorough study of the history of political assassinations in the twentieth century, published as a book in 1962, which focused particularly on the activities of the Irgun, the Zionist Clandestine army, and the Irgun's plots against Sweden's Count Bernadotte, and Lord Moyne during the 1940s.

The founding of Permindex in 1958, and its two subsidiaries—Centro Mondiale Commerciale, and the Italo-American Hotel Corporation—by Major Bloom-

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